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NEW UNITED STATES UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION
under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)

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Atty. Docket No. 01942-00003

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Enclosed herewith is a new patent application and the following papers:

Sole Inventor (or application identifier): **Eija Marjut Pirhonen**

Title of Invention: **BONE GRAFTING MATERIALS**

1. ■ Specification 19 pages (including specification, claims, abstract) / 73 claims (4 independent)
2. ■ A signed Declaration/Power of Attorney is:
☐ attached in the regular manner.
■ NOT included, but deferred under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f). An unsigned copy is enclosed.
3. ■ This Application has 2 distinct sheets of ■ Formal ☐ Informal Drawings
4. ☐ Preliminary Amendment.
■ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This application claims the benefit of the filing date of Finnish patent application no. FI 20010873, filed on April 26, 2001, hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety for all purposes.--
5. ■ Information Disclosure Statement
■ Form 1449
■ A copy of each cited prior art reference
6. ☐ Assignment with Cover Sheet.
7. ■ Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based upon the following application(s) (provisional and foreign applications):

| Country | Application Number | Date of Filing (day, month, year) |
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| FI | 20010873 | 26 APR 2001 (26.04.01) |

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8. ☐ Priority document(s).
9. ☒ Small Entity Status is being hereby claimed.
10. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission.
☐ Computer Readable Copy.
☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy).
☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies.

11. Calculation of Fees:

| FEES FOR | EXCESS CLAIMS | FEE | AMOUNT DUE |
|--|---------------|--------|-------------------|
| Basic Filing Fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a)) | | | \$740.00 |
| Total Claims in Excess of 20 (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c)) | 53 | 18.00 | \$954.00 |
| Independent Claims in Excess of 3 (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b)) | 1 | 84.00 | \$84.00 |
| Multiple Dependent Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(d)) | yes | 280.00 | \$280.00 |
| Subtotal - Filing Fee Due | | | \$2,058.00 |
| MULTIPLY BY | | | |
| Reduction by 50%, if Small Entity (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28) | 0.50 | | \$1,029.00 |
| TOTAL FILING FEE DUE | | | \$1,029.00 |
| Assignment Recordation Fee (if applicable) (37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h)) | | 40.00 | \$0.00 |
| GRAND TOTAL DUE | | | \$1,029.00 |

12. PAYMENT is:

- ☐ The Commissioner is authorized to debit the instant filing fee, in the amount of \$____, and any other fees during the pendency of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18, to Deposit Account No. 19-0733. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.
- ☒ not included, but deferred under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f)

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14. Other: _____

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